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: GÊNE SEQUENCE VARIANCE IN GENES RELATED TO FOLATE

METABOLISM HAVING UTILITY IN DETERMINING THE TREATMENT OF

DISEASE

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated April 20, 2001, be extended for three months to and including September 20, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$445 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted.

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